

(2) Amended Claims

1. (Currently amended) A process for imparting a wood grain and coloration to a textured substrate having a patterned texture surface with recesses therein, consisting of the steps:

applying an opaque, pigmented, water-based emulsion coating composition as a base coat ~~comprising an opaque, pigmented, water-based emulsion coating composition~~ to the substrate;

drying the base coat;

applying a pigmented, water-based urethane/acrylic graining coat in an amount sufficient to provide a darkening graining coat having a complimentary color which together with that of the base coat provides the color of an intended type of wood,

spreading the graining coat to color at least a majority of texture recesses in the substrate, while retaining a coating of that graining coat on the texture surface, which together with the base coat color, provides a natural look in terms of grain and coloration of a selected wood type; and

drying the graining coat to provide a finished product having a wood grain and coloration.

2. (Canceled)

3. (Canceled).

4. (Canceled)

5. (Canceled)

6. (Canceled)